



# Fireworks Public Display & Special Effects Permit

Applications shall be submitted 30 days prior to the Display

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

I/we hereby make application for a permit to conduct a display of fireworks as defined by the California Health and Safety Code. I/we agree to comply in every particular with the law pertaining thereto as set forth in Part 2 of Division II of the Health and Safety Code and the rules and Regulations adopted by the State Fire Marshal.

Name of Company or Business Applying: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

License Type: \_\_\_\_\_ License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Workers' Comp Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Wholesale License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation Vehicle Type: \_\_\_\_\_ License #: \_\_\_\_\_

## EVENT/DISPLAY INFORMATION

☐ **Public Display**

☐ **Motion Picture**

☐ **Stage/Theatrical**

☐ **Special Effects**

Name of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Event Sponsor or Responsible Person(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Event Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Location/Area of Event or Shoot Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Event or Display Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Site Arrival Date/Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Time(s) of Event or Display: \_\_\_\_\_ Start: \_\_\_\_\_ End: \_\_\_\_\_

Pyrotechnician of Record: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Firing method: ☐ Manual ☐ Electric ☐ Combination Manual/Electric

Will reloading be necessary?: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Will display affect airport traffic?: ☐ Yes\* ☐ No

**\*NOTE: If "Yes," FAA notification is required and is the responsibility of the Pyrotechnician.**

## INSURANCE INFORMATION

An attached copy of Employees Compensation Insurance and Public Liability Insurance certificates is required to process all permit applications. Please see below for additional information.

Policy number of Employees Compensation Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy number of Public Liability Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Insurance Requirements: An original Certificate of Insurance must be filed with this application, which complies with the following requirements (refer to Section 993, Title 19 and 12611, California Health & Safety Code):
  - a. The deductible (if any) may not exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00). Limits of bodily injury and property damage may be not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limits for each occurrence annually.
  - b. A statement must be included that the insurer will not cancel the insured's coverage without fifteen (15) days prior written notice to the State Fire Marshal.
  - c. The licensed pyrotechnic operator supervising/discharging the display and the City of Santa Clara, its officers, agents, employees, and servants must be included as additional insureds.

## PYROTECHNIC OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of State Licensed Operator Supervising Display:	License Class:	License #:
Cell Phone #:	E-mail Address:	
Names of Operator Assistants (attach additional sheet if necessary):		
1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____		
5. _____ 6. _____ 7. _____ 8. _____		

## LOAD SITE & STORAGE INFORMATION FOR DEVICES AND EFFECTS

Location of storage prior to shipping to display site:	City & State:
Departure date from storage location:	Approximate arrival date:
Location of load site:	Location and method of storage prior to display or performance:
Location and method of storage during display or performance (if applicable):	

## PRODUCT AND DEVICE INFORMATION

Mortar  
Type(s)

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Provide at least two (2) copies of a dimensional plot plan diagramming the area where the display will be held. The plot plan shall include: the placement of devices, location of firing site, locations of nearby buildings and roads, location of any performers, distance to audiences or spectators, fallout area and normal wind direction. Clearly delineate the Fallout Area dimensions using the worst-case device or effect.
2. Submit a photocopy of the California State License individual(s) in charge of show.
3. Provide proof of current state pyrotechnic operator license at display site.
4. When applicable, submit fire retardant certificates for any stage drops/decorations, etc.
5. For outdoor displays, provide a detailed site security plan. Site security shall be arranged or provided by the applicant.
6. For theatrical special effects, provide a queue script (run of show) that describes when the effect(s) will occur during the performance.

## CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. All applications and fees shall be submitted a minimum of thirty (30) days in advance of the beginning date of the display or event. Applications submitted later than thirty (30) days in advance of the beginning date of the display or event may be subject to additional fees.
2. A pre-event inspection is required prior to the display or performance. The display or performance shall not proceed unless a representative of the Fire Marshal's Office is present. For theatrical or other special effects, a product demonstration prior to the performance may be required. Note that inspections must be scheduled a minimum of seven (7) business days in advance.
3. All fees are non-refundable upon submission to this office.
4. A permit issued for a Public Fireworks Display or Special Effects may be suspended or revoked if it is determined that there has been any false statement made or misrepresentation as to a material fact in the application or plans on which the permit or application was based.
5. Any fireworks or special effect performances may be stopped or modified at the discretion of the representative of the Fire Marshal's Office as the situation warrants.
6. A copy of the post display report sent to the State Fire Marshal shall be submitted to this office within ten (10) working days following the display.

**In affirming my signature hereon, I understand that as the permittee, I am responsible for compliance with all provisions under which this permit may be granted, including the filing of reports required by Title 19 of the California Code of Regulations. I further affirm that I am an authorized agent for the public display license listed hereon, as required by California Health and Safety Code, Section 12583.**

**APPLICANT'S PRINTED NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_